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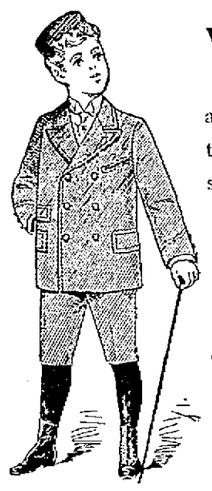

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CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

Cholera has broken out at Archangel in Russia.

John H. Hannon was nominated for congress by the democrats of the Second district, Chicago.

Edgar Bishop, receiving teller of the Mills bank at Kansas City, was arrested for embezzling $10,000.

It is now believed that the loss of life by the recent storm in Iowa and Minnesota will reach fully one hundred.

The democrats of Carroll county, Md., passed resolutions strongly denouncing Gorman and Gibson and advocating election of senators by direct vote.

George B. Anderson, of the District of Columbia, secretary of legation at Rio Janeiro, who is now at home on leave, has resigned on account of ill health.

At New York Mary Walsh, a woman of the street, and said to be a grandmother, was brutally murdered early Tuesday morning, Simon McGlory being in custody for the crime.

Maj. Alex. A. Russell, a special examiner in the pension office, has been arrested on a warrant charging him with forgery, sworn out by John O. Oldberg, an Indian bureau clerk.

The valuable trotting mare, Lillie D., by Elyria, dropped dead Tuesday while being exercised on the track at Elyria, O., preparatory to entering a race. Heart disease was the cause.

James G. Sheridan, well-known throughout the country as as a starter of race horses, died suddenly at his home, 201 West Forty-sixth street, New York, Tuesday morning, of apoplexy.

Miss Lillian Jackson, aged 19, was awarded a judgment Tuesday in the district court, of Columbus, Neb., for $10,000 against Robert E. Wilsher, traveling salesman for a St. Joseph (Mo.) house. Wilsher is well known in central Nebraska.

The democratic convention at New Haven, Ct., nominated the following state ticket: For governor, Ernest Cady; lieutenant governor, Morris S. Beardsley; secretary of state, Edward G. Kilduff; treasurer, Stephen D. Bowen; controller, Nicholas Stash.

Water was let into the Canadian canal Monday night. Since then it has been filling at the rate of nine inches an hour. The water reached the lower level Tuesday night. The work is standing the test of the water well. It is expected that the great enterprise will be ready for navigation within a month at the latest.

How.

Wife—I mended the hole in your waistcoat pocket last night after you had gone to bed. I am a careful little woman, am I not?

Husband—Yes, but how did you know there was a hole in my waistcoat pocket?—Journal de Doual.

New York Democratic Convention.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Sept. 26.—The democracy of the Empire state were at sea with Wm. C. Whitney Tuesday night. The convention has met, opened the campaign with a speech by Senator Hill and adjourned till Wednesday noon. By that time contesting delegations will have been heard the platform will be in shape, the rink will be ready and the Majestic will probably be in port.

Democratic leaders not only admit that the convention is waiting to hear from the ex-secretary of the navy, but in a quiet way they have dispatched a messenger to New York with a communication to Mr. Whitney. The drift Tuesday was toward Mr. Whitney. The withdrawal of Judge Gaynor left him as the only representative of the reform democracy and harmony candidate in sight.

Murdered His Brother.

WHEELERVILLE, Ala., Sept 26.—Dan Young killed his brother Tuesday. Two months ago Dan inveigled a beautiful woman from California to his home here. Her husband followed her and has never been seen since. The brothers became jealous over the woman, and the murder resulted. Dan was arrested.

Shot Himself on His Wedding Day.

BELLEVILLE, Ill., Sept. 26.—John Bradley committed suicide Tuesday under peculiar circumstances. He was to have been married Tuesday afternoon to Miss Julia Ackerman. Bradley shot himself just before noon, leaving no word that might throw light upon his motive.

Many Arrests to Be Made.

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 26.—Gov. Peck Tuesday morning wired Sheriff Bartlome, of Green Bay, instructing him, if the report of a prize fight was correct, to arrest all parties concerned. The fight was witnessed by a number of Green Bay people.

Post Office Inspector Under Arrest.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Sept. 26.—Andrew J. Laird, a post office inspector and at one time United States marshal at Atlanta, Ga., was arrested in this city by Inspectors Stewart, of Chicago, and Flynn, of Los Angeles, on the charge of embezzlement.

Thresher Boiler Explodes.

CRYSTAL, N. D., Sept. 26.—The boiler of a threshing engine, on the farm of William Cain, three miles from here, exploded Tuesday afternoon, and four men were killed outright, one fatally hurt and others badly injured. A team of horses standing near were killed.

Dining Chairman Wilson.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—Sir Country E. Boyle, C. B., permanent secretary of the board of trade, gave a dinner Tuesday night to Congressman W. L. Wilson, of West Virginia, and Isidor Strauss.

Sugar Refineries to Close.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—One-half of the refineries under control of the sugar trust have been ordered closed at once.

PEARY'S PARTY.

The Second Polar Expedition Arrives at Philadelphia.

Mrs. Peary and Her Infant Daughter Among the Party.

Members of the Epedition Show Some Bitterness of Feeling Toward Lieut. Peary—The Scientific Results of the Expedition Are Practically Nothing.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 26.—The members of the second Peary expedition and the auxiliary expedition sent out by the Geographical Society of the Philadelphia Academy of Sciences arrived here Tuesday afternoon on the steamer Falcon, which sailed from Falcon harbor, Greenland, on August 26. All on board were well.

Mrs. Peary, and the infant doughter, and the dogs, and the twelve-year-old Esquimaux girl, whom Mrs. Peary brought from the Arctic regions, were among the party. The Peary baby is named Marie Ahnighnito Peary, and she was born at Anniversary Lodge, Peary's headquarters, on September 12, last year.

When the Falcon had docked the members of the party separated, Mrs. Peary going to her home in Washington. The members of the expedition in their conversation indicate an undercurrent that showed some bitterness of feeling toword Peary. They think he miscalculated the amount of provisions necessary for the party, and showed bad judgment in providing only oil for heating purposes.

On the night of October 31 an iceberg broke off from the end of the glacier and fell into Bowdern bay and created a tidal wave which swept shoreward and over the land fifteen feet above high-water mark, carrying the steam launch inward and smashing in its bow and staving in one of the whaleboats. The most serious result of the wave, however, was the irreparable injury done to the party's fuel by smashing oil barrels.

From what could be gathered the scientific results of the expedition seem to have amounted to practically nothing, and it is probably this reason that made Peary decide to spend another winter in Greenland and continue his researches next summer.

Mrs. Peary expects to return to Greenland next summer for her husband, but how she will get there does not appear at present.

Games Played Tuesday.

*Cincinnati	9	*Louisville	3
Boston	7	New York	13
*Cincinnati	5	*Cleveland	9
Boston	1	Baltimore	14
*Pittsburgh	10	*St. Louis	14
Brooklyn	7	Philadelphia	7

*Where game was played.

How They Stand.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Played.	Pr Ct.
Baltimore	87	38	125	.696
New York	85	43	128	.664
Boston	81	48	129	.629
Philadelphia	72	54	126	.570
Brooklyn	68	59	127	.533
Cleveland	65	60	125	.519
Pittsburgh	63	63	126	.500
Chicago	56	74	130	.431
Cincinnati	55	74	129	.427
St. Louis	52	76	128	.406
Washington	45	84	129	.349
Louisville	35	91	126	.277

How They Beat Slot Machines.

CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—Three Negroes were arrested here Tuesday night who have worked the entire eastern country for pennies, the sum total of which amounts to $1,500. The men, Sidney Stewart, Charles Kelly (alias Red Jim) and J. Bruce (alias Bill Dooly), arrived in Chicago Tuesday, but before they had a chance to pry the backs off any of the Chicago machines they were run in. They have confessed to breaking into slot machines in Philadelphia, New York, Portland, Me., Jersey City, Lowell, Mass., and Cambridge, O. The crowd is a new one to the Chicago police.

Pope's Encyclical Letter.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—An encyclical letter of his holiness, Pope Leo XIII, addressed to all patriarchs, primates, archbishops, bishops and others having peace with the holy see, concerning the rosary of the blessed Virgin Mary, has just been received at the apostolic legation here. For the past three years Pope Leo has issued annually to the world an encyclical on this subject. The month of October is observed in the Catholic church as the month of the rosary, and this encyclical is an exhortation to prayer.

New Torpedo Boats.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—Secretary Herbert Tuesday approved the design adopted by the board of construction for the three torpedo boats, authorized by the present congress. These boats will closely resemble the Ericsson, with slightly increased size and power. The secretary ordered detailed plans prepared, and directed the judge advocate general to prepare the specifications preliminary to soliciting bids.

Bad Situation in Venezuela.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Passengers arriving by the steamer Caracas, from Venezuelan ports, which reached here Tuesday morning, reported a very unsettled state of things throughout the republic. Business was greatly depressed, causing want of money and much suffering among the poorer classes of the people.

Panama Subscription.

PARIS, Sept. 26.—M. Gautron, the liquidator of the affairs of the Panama canal, states that the public has subscribed for 30,000 francs of the new issue of bonds of the canal company. The subscriptions amount to less than one-tenth of the securities offered.

A Six Thousand Dollar Job.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—The president Tuesday appointed Gen. William Ward Duffield, of Detroit, superintendent of the coast and geodetic survey, to succeed T. C. Mendenhall, resigned. The position is worth $6,000 per annum.

Pittsburgh to Tacoma on a Bicycle.

TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 26.—Louis Young has arrived here, having ridden a bicycle from Pittsburgh, Pa. He was six months making the trip.

JAPANESE TREATY.

The Mikado's Government Anxious to Make One With the United States.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—The treaty which Japan seeks to negotiate with the United States provides for the abolition of that feature of the present treaty which is known as "extra territorial" jurisdiction, which is equivalent to placing the affairs of foreigners in Japan under the control of courts composed of consuls representing the commercial powers.

Another important clause is that which relates to immigration. This, however, can, it is believed, be satisfactorily adjusted, inasmuch as the policy of the Tokio government is to discourage emigration, and, moreover, it is claimed, the Japanese are not a migratory people and there is no probability that this country would ever be threatened with a "Japanese invasion," as has been the case with the subjects of China.

The proposed new treaty will specifically enumerate the respective rates of duty which will be levied on importations from the United States, and will provide for the abolition of the export duty on silks and teas, both of which articles are principally exported to the United States and which yield to the Japanese government a revenue amounting to more than $1,000,000 annually. The treaty also contains other provisions of an economic nature which, it is believed, will further tend to increase our trade relations with that country. What the fate of the new treaty will be is as yet an unsettled question.

STORM FLAGS RAISED.

A Tropical Hurricane Sweeps Over Florida—Great Damage in Cuba.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—A tropical hurricane that was supposed by the weather bureau experts to have devastated the island of Cuba, is now attacking the southern coast of Florida and lashing the waters of the gulf. The bureau has given timely warning, and any mariner who, during the next two or three days, heads his ship toward the south will do so at the risk of both ship and cargo.

Tuesday morning the storm had reached a point approximately 75 miles southeast of Havana with the unusual wind velocity of 72 miles an hour from the north. Storm signals have been put up as far north as Jacksonville and west to Port Eads. Information signals were flying Tuesday morning up Savannah and Charleston and west to Galveston, and at noon Tuesday these were changed to storm flags. It is believed the velocity of the wind will decrease as the storm moves on, but at present its rate is decidedly destructive.

HAVANA, Sept. 25.—A terrible storm prevails throughout the length and breadth of the island of Cuba. It began Monday evening and continued with undiminished fury through the night, and there are no signs of its abatement. Great damage has been done to property, many houses having been blown down, trees uprooted and fences and outbuildings carried away. So far, however, no loss of life has been reported. The shipping in this harbor has escaped injury.

Altgeld Shows Up the Pullman Co.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 26.—Gov. Altgeld Tuesday addressed the state board of equalization on the assessment of the Pullman Palace Car Co.'s property. He showed many facts and figures concerning the company's manner of escaping taxation in this and other states, and in the dominion of Canada. The company, for instance, gave $36,000,000 as their capital stock, when it should be $61,000,000. The governor, in concluding, begged the board to make a proper and just assessment of this property in justice to the people and the state.

Excitement in a Cable Car Tunnel.

CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—A panic occurred among cable car passengers Tuesday when four heavily loaded trains, loosened by a slip of the cable, dashed down the incline in the Van Buren street tunnel and crashed into each other at the bottom. The passengers were hurled in all directions by the shock, but none were seriously hurt, although the cars were badly wrecked.

Child Burned to Death.

CLARKSVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 26.—Mrs. Alice Keesee, of the Thirteenth district, left her three children at home alone. The eldest went for water to the spring. Hearing screams she ran to the house to find her sister Tena burned to death. Within the past few months ten persons in this vicinity have met death by burning.

Terrible Waterspout.

FRESNILLO, Mex., Sept. 26.—A terrible waterspout is reported from the village of Suchil, in the mountains of Durango, northwest of here. The deluge carried away a woodchoppers' camp of ten families, and all are believed to have been drowned. A number of other cases of drowning have been reported.

The Texas Method.

DALLAS, Tex., Sept. 26.—A Sherman (Texas) special to the Times-Herald says: County Treasurer Scott, of Grayson county, was knocked senseless in his office Tuesday afternoon by an unknown man and the safe robbed. Scott is still unconscious. The robber escaped with $5,000.

Rich, But Crooked.

CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—The charge of forgery against Caroline Ellsworth, daughter of the Milwaukee millionaire, Isaac Ellsworth, was nolle prossed Tuesday. Miss Ellsworth was charged by several Chicago merchants with obtaining goods by forged checks.

The Majestic Arrives.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The White Star line steamer Majestic, Capt. Parsell, from Liverpool, arrived off Fire Island at 2:10 o'clock Wednesday morning. Among her passengers is W. C. Whitney, ex-secretary of the navy.

The lumbermen in the Kanawha valley are said to be almost starving.

Sergt. Griffith leads the army shoot at Fort Sheridan with a score of 467.

MURDERED.

J. B. Caven, Well-Known Railroad Man of Cleveland,

Found Dead in an Alley Near a Leading Hotel in That City.

The Body Was Riddled With Bullets—He Had Fallen Where Shot and His Body Was Not Found for Hours Afterward—A Mysterious Case.

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 26.—J. B. Caven, general passenger and freight agent of the Valley Railway Co., and one of the best known railroad men in the state, was murdered in a questionable part of the city, some time after midnight Tuesday morning. The body when found was riddled with bullets.

Shortly after daylight a laborer, who was passing the Clement block, on Rickwell street, found the body lying face downward, in the rear of the foot of the fire escape. The police were at once notified, and a patrol wagon was sent to the place. A policeman was the first to identify the body. He moved it slightly and, exposing the face to the light, remarked: "My God! It's Jim Caven!"

A message was sent to the residence of Coroner Arbuckle and a detail of police guarded the entrance to the spot where the body was lying. The Clement block extends to within a few feet of the rear of the Oxford hotel on Superior street. The space between measures but a few feet, and at first it looked as if Caven might have met his death by falling from the fire escape. The idea was not sustained, for when Coroner Arbuckle arrived he turned the body over, revealing a face purple and distorted. The stomach was somewhat bloated, and a hasty examination showed that there were at least three gaping wounds in the abdomen and chest, from which the blood was still oozing.

The clothing was saturated with blood which was hardly dry. The coroner made a preliminary examination and said: "Men, this man has been murdered." From a pocket of the dead man he took a number of business cards, proving the dead man's identity beyond a doubt. Detective McMillan was sent for and he made a careful examination of the premises. The body was taken to the morgue. A peculiar circumstance connected with the tragedy was that while the body was almost covered with blood, there was little of it on the ground and no evidence of a struggle. It was believed that Caven died almost instantly. What his errand to such a spot could have been can only be conjectured. The Clement block is rented to transients, male or female, and the sign, "Furnished rooms for rent," is displayed in many windows. The Oxford is run on a similar plan. The buildings stand so nearly together that it was impossible to even guess which, if either of them, the dead man had occupied.

Caven was a man of good character and, so far as known, did not drink. He had been with the Valley railway for five years, having previously been general freight agent of the Baltimore & Ohio for 30 years. He was 59 years old, a widower and leave six children.

AFRICAN PHOSPHATE

Will Probably Displace the American Product.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—The United States consul at Algiers reports to the state department that the output of the Algerian phosphate bids for 1894 will reach 30,000 to 35,000 tons during the present year, against 5,000 tons last year, and the north African supply, which is apparently inexhaustible, will seriously compete with the American deposits, especially in European markets. It has been discovered that phosphates exist in Algiers and Tunis in almost incredible abundance, and an enormous trade in the product is springing up on account of the cheapness with which it can be procured. In the next few years it is expected that African phosphate will be shipped profitably to America.

Rich Gold Find.

DENVER, Col., Sept. 26.—A special from Phoenix, Ariz., gives an account of a rich gold find. A Mexican placer miner working on the Hasnijampa, about fifteen miles from Phoenix, discovered a rich float that had been turned up by the recent rains. Following it up he found a pocket from which he took $2,000 worth of gold. Since then he and two companions have taken out $6,000. Further search resulted in the discovery of a rich ledge.

Kidnapers Heavily Dosed.

PIEDRAS NEGRAS, Mex., Sept. 26.—The criminal court of this city has just finished the trial of Patricio Gonzales and Jesus Herrera, who have been confined in the city jail for several months charged with kidnaping Simon Galvan, a Mexican citizen charged with murder in Texas, and delivering him to persons on this side of the Rio Grande. The prisoners were found guilty and sentenced to sixteen years in the Saltimo penitentiary.

Cholera Patients Cremated.

WARSAW, Sept. 26.—Sixty houses in the city of Blaszki, in the district of Kalish, Russian Poland, where the cholera is making fearful ravages, were set on fire and completely destroyed. A number of the inmates of these houses, who were suffering from the dread disease and were too weak to make any effort to save themselves, were burned to death.

Where Crispi Draws the Line.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—A dispatch to the Times from Rome Tuesday says that Premier Crispi is ready to make any concessions to the church compatible with the maintenance of Italy's sovereignty over every foot of the soil. But, the correspondent adds, Italy will not concede the temporal power of the pope.

IN DISGRACE.

Two Prominent Kansas Officers Use Railway Passes Improperly.

TOPEKA, Kas., Sept. 26.—General Manager J. J. Frey Tuesday afternoon issued an order calling in the pass of Attorney General John T. Little over the St. Louis and San Francisco, a part of the Santa Fe system. Monday the the pass was used between Wichita and Cherryvale, but the conductor became convinced that it was presented by Judge C. E. Foots, of the state board of pardons, and not the attorney general. He reported the incident to the superintendent, who in turn reported it to the general office in this city. Inquiry here revealed the fact that the attorney general was not in that part of the state Monday, and that it would have been a physical impossibility for him to have used his pass. On his arrival here Tuesday afternoon he was questioned about his pass, and admitted that he had turned it over to Judge Foote. His passes of all lines will probably be called.

Mother and Babe Drowned.

SALEM, O., Sept. 26.—An empty baby carriage, to which was tied a letter, was found on the bank of the lake at Tolerton's park, Tuesday evening, and aroused the suspicions of the authorities as to suicide. One hundred men went to work dragging the bottom to discover the bodies. The bodies were finally recovered and proved to be those of Mrs. Chas. Hunt and infant daughter. The child was strapped to its mother's breast. Family troubles are attributed as the cause of the suicide.

A Big Timber Suit.

MINNEAPOLIS, Sept. 26.—The state of Minnesota, through Atty-Gen. Childs, has brought three suits against the Itasca Lumber Co. and T. H. Shevlin, of Minneapolis, to recover the value of logs said to have been wrongfully taken. There are about 3,500,000 feet of these logs, and they now lie in the boom. T. H. Shevlin says: "We deny the whole thing. We never had any pine lands or pine that we did not pay for. It is a blackmailing scheme." These suits are the result of a legislative investigation.

Two Children Burned.

RICHMOND, Va., Sept. 26.—The residence of James Couchenour, near Gate City, Va., burned down Tuesday afternoon, and two of Mr. Couchenour's children met a horrible death in the flames. An effort was made to rescue the children, but just as their mother was entering the house the crash came, burying them under the burning timbers. Mrs. Couchenour was seriously, if not fatally burned, and her husband was badly burned about the hands and face.

Courted Fifty-Four Years.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Sept. 26.—A remarkable marriage is reported from Shepardstown, in Berkeley county. The parties are John Shilling, aged 96, and Miss Ruth Sears, aged 74. For fifty-four years they have been courting. A week ago they were baptized. Rev. D. Randall, of the Protestant Episcopal church, performed the ceremonies. Both are mountaineers, and neither has been fifty miles from home.

World's Wheat Crop.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—Samuel B. Morss, the consul general at Paris, has sent to the state department an abstract of the official report on the wheat crop in France for 1894. It is estimated by the French statisticians, says Mr. Morss, that the crops of 1894 throughout the world, will be 35 per cent. in excess of the world's demands for consumption and seed.

Dead, Aged 99 Years.

URBANA, O., Sept. 26.—Douglass Luce, the oldest person in Champaign county, aged 99, died suddenly Tuesday morning. Deceased was born in Virginia, and came to Urbana when a boy. He was assistant commissary in Hull's army. He was a particular friend of historical Simon Kenton, and knew many Indian chiefs, among them the famous Tecumseh.

A Young Man Fatally Scalded.

GALLIPOLIS, O., Sept. 26.—Ernest Myers, a young butcher, was fatally scalded. While working in the slaughter-house he accidentally stepped into a kettle of boiling water. He was scalded in a frightful manner, the flesh dropping from parts of his limbs and body. His recovery is very doubtful.

Big Stove Factory Fire.

RUSSELL, Ky., Sept. 26.—The stove foundry is burning down. They can get no water to the fire. The loss on patterns and building will be over $40,000. It is about the only big industry in Russell, and has been running but a few days. It is a new foundry.

The People Still Armed.

MORGANFIELD, Ky., Sept. 26.—There are no new developments in the threatened tax war. The excitement is subsiding and it begins to look as if the collector was making a bluff. The people are armed but the collector has not yet received any guns.

An Epidemic of Sore Throat.

MASON, O., Sept. 26.—An epidemic of sore throat, which is diagnosed by physicians as primary diphtheria, is giving the doctors and parents no small amount of trouble here. At least 80 cases are reported in the corporation, while as many more obtain in the country contiguous to this place.

Septuagenarian Shoots Himself.

ZANESVILLE, O., Sept. 26.—Deighton Moore, a farmer, aged 70 years, residing near Whigville, committed suicide Tuesday by shooting himself with a shotgun. He had quarreled with his wife.

Search for Sunken Treasure.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—A new company has been organized to recover the treasure supposed to have gone down with the British man-of-war Hussar, off Port Morris, 114 years ago.

Wooster Generous to Fire Victims.

WOOSTER, O., Sept. 26.—Wooster has raised $637.44 by subscription for the Dalton fire sufferers.

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THE general resumption of business all over the land is worrying the Republican organs.

You can buy sugar five-eighths of a cent cheaper per pound than you could one year ago.

WHY shouldn't the farmer in the north have a bounty on wheat, corn and water melons.

WHY should the Louisiana farmer be the only favored ones. Aren't votes in Ohio as valuable as they are in the South.

READ the advertisements of your merchants and you will find the price of everything containing wool is cut in two. The poorer classes can wear woolen clothing now.

SEVERAL of the western senators have declared their intention of leaving the Republican party unless it changes its policy as to silver. See her flop. The party never had any principles but policy.

SENATOR JONES has been asked to resign by the Nevada executive committee, but the executive committee is about all that is left of the party in Nevada, and the senator does not feel called upon to disobey the will of the people.

WOOL has advanced since the passage of the tariff bill. How about the eleven cents it would fall in price so persistently claimed by the advocates of dear clothing. Wool gone up, clothing down, just as Democrats claimed it would do.

WHO will object to cheap clothing, "all wool and a yard wide," instead of cheap shoddy. If sugar should advance even one cent per pound, a person will save enough on a single good suit to pay five cents extra on every pound of sugar he will consume.

You can scarcely name a commodity that has not fallen in price with silver bullion, neither can you bring us a single political economist but will say there can be no general fall in prices not due to an advancing standard of measure. Gold has nearly doubled in value since 1873.

WHEN present in a leading clothing establishment, while one of the proprietors was showing a number of suits to a purchaser, he threw out a suit saying: "There's a suit for $15, two years ago we sold that suit for $25, last spring we sold it for $18, we will sell it now for $15, next spring after the new tariff goes into effect we will sell the same quality and make for $10." Yet some people claim the new tariff won't cheapen clothing.

IF THE editor of the Blade will chose one Republican and we will chose another and let these two chose a third to investigate the books of the two firms, and if we are not paying more weekly to our typesetters than he is, we will pay the largest July bill of the Blade company that is still unsettled, and we know of such bills that exceed $100. We pay our men largely in cash; while yours are paid in orders. We would like to publish the report

Artistic Currency.

The secretary of the treasury has decided to raise the prostrate form of American art from the dust in which it has lain so long. New designs are to be made for the paper currency of the United States. No longer is the eye to be offended with the clumsy lettering and tasteless decoration which have hitherto characterized the paper money of the country. Look at the treasury note. There is not a redeeming feature in its wooden drawing, its meaningless jumble of foliated lines, stiff, unimaginative shading and mechanically interwoven traceries. It is too elaborate, too crowded. It lacks simplicity, dignity and unity. One side presents a scheme of poorly handled gray spletched with inharmonious carmine, not to speak of the brick red or metallic blue series lettering. And the other side! Sickly, poisonous green, unimaginative convolutions and involutions; bald, bare, sterile journeyman work. But of course the main thing with most people is to get their hooks on to the treasury notes, artistic or inartistic. Few criticise the decorations.

ABOUT PARITY.

If It Cannot Be Maintained at 16 to 1 How Can It Be at Any Greater Ratio?

A correspondent writes in regard to the silver question: "What would be gained by changing the present ratio? Would we have any standard at all if we follow the rise and fall of gold and silver bullion? Is not the term 'parity' used to confuse the mind of the average voter?"

Our correspondent touches on a question that is both interesting and important. There is an element in Georgia—a very small one, to be sure—that wants silver coined at its present commercial value. Congressman Turner suggested as a compromise a ratio of 20 to 1, but he admitted that such a ratio would not be the correct one. But if the mints were opened to the coinage of silver at the present commercial value of the white metal, how long would it be maintained? If "parity" cannot be maintained at a ratio of 16 to 1, how can it be maintained at 20 to 1, or 30 to 1, or any other ratio? There are nuts in these inquiries that none of the ignoramuses who affect to be so anxious about parity has presumed to crack. We present them briefly to the "parity" brethren to show them that they have fallen into a trap of their own construction.

It must be clear to any sensible person that if the mints of the United States were opened to the free coinage of silver at a ratio based on its present commercial value, its price would immediately rise. The European demand calls for between sixty and ninety millions of ounces a year, and this demand, supplemented by the demand at the mints, would enhance its price. Then what would become of "parity?" It is remarkable that at least a few of those who have been overcome by the importance of the term "parity" have not found the means of discovering that it is not technically applicable to commodity values. It is remarkable, too, that the fact has never dawned on their mints that the commercial price of the metals is of comparatively little importance to the governments in fixing a ratio between them. A Georgia journalist gravely announced that a phrase used by the Constitution—"the parity of prices and money values"—was nonsense. But the truth is the fixing of a ratio between the two money metals is always for the purpose of maintaining a just level of prices. The object of bimetallism is to compel the two money metals to act as balance wheels to each other, so that if one metal shows a tendency to become more valuable, the other metal is ready to take its place, and keep prices and debts at the level prescribed by justice and fair dealing.

On the part of the element which has been demanding an international agreement, the idea seems to be to fall back behind the term "parity," and from that position to juggle with the whole question and obscure the minds of the average voter who cares less for details than he does for results. This course can have no possible effect on the ultimate success or failure of the demand for the free coinage of silver. No sensible voter can be made to believe that the use of the word "parity" is for the purpose of enabling the party leaders to violate its silver pledge. The platform itself shows clearly that the coined and paper dollar are to be kept at a parity.—Atlanta Constitution.

MORTGAGES AND SILVER.

How Demonetizing of the White Metal Increases the Per Cent. of Interest Rates.

It is interesting to note that a recent bulletin of the census office sets the annual interest charge upon real estate mortgages in the United States at the enormous sum of $997,442,792. Of this $162,652,994 is paid on mortgages placed on "acre property," which in the main means on farms. On lots the annual interest charge is $234,789,848.

Only very casual consideration is necessary to impress upon one the thought that this huge burden of interest constitutes a very heavy load upon the people. Particularly does it oppress and drag down the farmer, who contracted most of this debt when prices for farm products were nearly twice as high as they are to-day. Because of the reduction in price of everything he has to sell the farmer is today paying virtually more than $300,000,000 instead of the $162,652,994 he contracted to pay annually. The holder of mortgaged city property suffers in the same way, but to a lesser extent. The same force, however, which is crushing the farmer has already begun to bear upon him, and in but a short time low wages, depressed trade, cheap prices for manufactured goods, and the like elements in commercial depression, will make the burden of his nominally $234,789,848 interest charges heavier than that of $400,000,000 ten years ago.

The relentless power which is thus forcing the farmer and the manufacturer into bankruptcy and bringing low wages, poverty and distress upon the wage-working class is the power of gold. It is not out of mere devotion to a theory that the class to which interest is paid fights so stubbornly for the retention of the single gold standard. Money lenders are cool, shrewd, practical men, and they see that by the constantly appreciating value of gold the interest which ten years ago they fixed at 6 per cent. is better than 10 per cent. to them now. They are in no wise averse to reaping where they have not sowed, and if the farmer furnishes the undeserved harvest it is his own lookout. In one way only can the force which brings low wages to workingmen, low prices to producers and huge profits to the lender of money be checked in its baleful course. By the free coinage of silver gold will be brought down to its normal value and the price of commodities now measured exclusively in gold will rise. The price of gold today is the artificial price fixed by a "owner." It is in universal demand and its supply is limited. If silver were given the solitary position now held by gold as a monetary metal and gold were demonetized the price of the white metal would rise, as that of gold has risen, and the price of gold would fall as that of silver had fallen. The honest dollar is the dollar which shall be of equal exchange value to-day and ten years hence. Neither gold nor silver alone meet this requirement. Only by the use of both metals concurrently, circulating together, the one acting as a check on the tendency of the other either to rise or to fall, can a truly honest dollar be obtained. Then when a man borrows money on his farm he will pay back what he borrowed—not 50 per cent. more.—Chicago Times.

Everybody reads the TIMES.

CHICAGO AT NIGHT.

Food and Religion Offered to Midnight Prowlers.

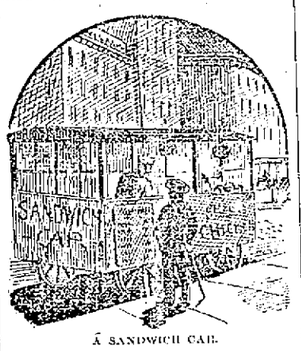
The Genesis of the Owl Lunch Car—Queer Patrons of the "Red Hot" Vender—Some Novel Advertising Schemes—A Church on Wheels.

[Special Chicago Letter.]

Whenever a city man gets tired of the monotonous bustle of daylight existence he takes a night off and spends it wandering through the great arteries connecting the three divisions of the city—the South, North and West sides. By this I do not mean that he stoops to anything *risque* or indecent. He simply familiarizes himself with the night life of a great city, which offers unlimited opportunities for making money in a legitimate way. The patrons of midnight merchants, it is true, have frequently lost all semblance of respectability, but the men and women who supply them with eatables and amusements are, as a general thing, quite as respectable as those doing business at other hours. The commercial interests of a metropolis like Chicago render a certain amount of night work almost a necessity. The city government, the street car companies, the railway and steamboat corporations, the newspapers have to have considerable labor performed at hours when the streets are comparatively deserted. Hundreds of these workingmen are frequently toiling in the outlying districts where restaurants and eating houses are unknown luxuries. In years gone by they had to carry their midnight lunches in tin boxes, or go hungry. A bright young fellow got tired of this sort of thing one cold night. He put on his thinking cap, drew his savings out of the bank, and surprised his fellow-workers by appearing "in their midst" at midnight with a wagon loaded with eatables and hot coffee.

Genesis of the Lunch Car.

This might be called the beginning of the peripatetic restaurant in Chicago. Enterprising day laborers all over the city followed the example of their brighter comrade. They did not have the money to buy a horse and wagon, and so they carried a coffee tank heated by kerosene and a tin box filled with sandwiches from one labor



A SANDWICH CAR.

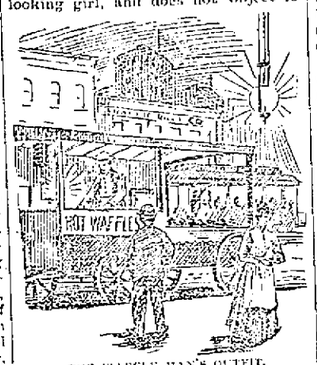
center to the other. But as soon as the business justified the investment they evolved into aristocrats and became the owners of wagons and horseflesh. In the course of time they sold sandwiches and coffee to chance pedestrians at a slight increase in price; and, before sleeping Chicago knew it, a veritable midnight lunch car trust had sprung up. Moneyed men on the lookout for a heavy rate of interest took hold of the idea. They fitted up comfortable wagons, supplied with every known kitchen convenience, and hired men to occupy certain corners on the main thoroughfares. The wagons were sent out at nine o'clock in the evening and returned to headquarters at six o'clock in the morning. The enterprise was successful from the start, and now the owl lunch car is one of the fixed institutions of the city. It supplies night prowlers with cold meats of every description and eggs cooked in numerous ways, as well as a fairly good cup of coffee, tea or cocoa. The prices charged are moderate, considering the quality of the food. The syndicates controlling the wagons are making money and give employment to several hundred men and women. The public is accommodated, and the lover of the quaint and curious takes delight in watching the motley crowd which buys its meals from the gutter, and eats them, seated, proud as Trojans, on the curb stone.

The Vender of "Red Hots."

More numerous than the lunch wagon is the strolling salesman of "red hots." This individual, clothed in ragged trousers, a white coat and rook's cap, and unlimited cheek, obstructs the night prowler at every corner. He carries a tank in which are swimming and sizzling hundreds of Frankfurters or Wieners. These mysterious denizens of the steaming deep are sold for five cents, which modest charge includes an allowance of horseradish or some other tear-producing substance. Several years ago the sausage man was driven out by the tomale vender. A number of exiled Californians conceived the idea that the night owls of Chicago should be educated up to the Pacific coast tomale standard. They started a factory out on the West side and engaged every available boiled shirt they to push their business. For a short time they made money. Everybody wanted to know what a tomale was like. But one taste satisfied curiosity as well as appetite. The enterprise proved a dead failure, and the little "wurst" was relegated to its place of honor. I have heard some good people say that more of the domestic influences of Chicago could be successfully disposed of if a careful observation on the spot leads me to think that they are right. For the bulk of the sausage feeds are consumed from basement saloons and barrel houses.

Waffles at All Hours of the Night.

Waffle wagons have for years been a feature of city life for a few hours, but not until a season or two ago did their owners enter into competition with the sandwich car monopoly. The waffle lady is an institution. The simon-pure original came from Nirvana, but his success led other natives of the Fatherland to engage in the business. He bakes his goods on the spot and has among his patronage quite a good looking German girl who helps the smacked cheeks for the purchaser with a smile and just a touch of coquetry. The daylight waffle



THE WAFFLE MAN'S OUTFIT.

paying five cents for two waffles, although he could buy six for the same amount of money from the grim-looking baker in the wagon. The waffle car is a low affair, supplied with a gasoline stove and a variety of irons. It is becoming a familiar sight in the country towns near Chicago, and, unless dyspepsia puts an end to the enterprise, will soon invade every western community. A wealthy German baker is now having constructed a number of cars which he intends to send through Illinois, Iowa, Wisconsin and other states. He expects to charge five cents for two hot waffles—a price which promises to return exorbitant interest on his investment.

Queer Midnight Advertisements.

Enterprising Chicago merchants have long since discarded night advertising by means of a stereopticon. The people are too busy to stand quietly opposite a dead wall to see a business card appear out of the gloom. They are in the habit of moving along even in the night time. Firms engaged in the manufacture of cigars, chewing gum and similar luxuries spent several thousand dollars before they learned how to attract the attention of the nocturnal pedestrian. A chewing gum manufacturer was the first to hit upon a new idea. He sent out a Graeco-Roman chariot drawn by four white horses and guided by a faded red-haired beauty. The vehicle and the auburn tresses of the driver were ornamented with tiny electric lights, which obtained their current from a storage battery. The scheme was a howling success in every way. In fact, it proved so profitable as an advertisement that a cigar manufacturer organized a squadron of knights and mounted them on wooden horses on rollers, the entire troop being propelled by two flesh-and-blood steeds. The color sergeant of the troop carried a flag setting forth the merits of the particular brand of cigars that needed advertising. I could never learn whether the Trojans ever encountered the Grecian charmer, but fear that they have met and destroyed each other, for it is some weeks since I have seen either of the rival outfits. If

THE CHURCH ON WHEELS.

they did meet and do battle, I might remark, en passant, it would have been safe to lay heavy odds on the Greek maiden with the red hair.

The Midnight Gospel Van.

A clerical gentleman, who has seen all the things I have described here and who labored under the impression that the night prowlers might perchance be saved, a short time ago hit upon a novel idea to circumvent Satan. He purchased a light delivery wagon and a spavined horse, set up a wheezy organ in the vehicle and started out to reform the world. Whenever he comes upon a crowd of loafers he plays a tune on the organ, accompanying the instrument with a fine tenor, and delivers a discourse on the wickedness of a fast life and the grace of salvation. At first this midnight missionary was jeered by his hearers, but since he led several hardened sinners to see the error of their ways he receives respectful consideration. As I was returning from a nocturnal tour on West Madison street the other night, I heard the soldier of the Cross address a motley crowd of half-drunken men and painted women in terms so eloquent as to lead a Mary Magdalene to repentance, and let us hope, a happier existence. And above the clang of the [illegible] could be heard [illegible] choked warbling of a chorus in "The Arms of Jesus." A night scene never to be forgotten.

G. W. WHITTIER.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.

Trades and Labor Union Excursion.

The Trades and Labor union excursions Saturday and Sunday to Cincinnati via C. H. & V. for $1.50, good until Monday, will be humdinners. Don't forget the date. 25.tf

EXILED FROM HOME.

IT is said that at this time there are twenty-two ex-sovereigns residing in different parts of Europe, none of them in the countries they once ruled.

PIUS IX., the late pontiff, was driven from Rome during the stormy days of 1848. He fled in disguise to Gaeta, and remained there until restored by foreign aid.

EMPEROR CHARLES V. lived in voluntary exile during the last years of his life. His chief occupation in his retirement was devising new viands to tempt his gluttonous appetite.

A GREAT many of the popes have been forced into exile, generally by emeutes among the turbulent Roman populace. A few were restored, but most of them died in exile.

MARIE DE MEDICI, the mother of three queens, was driven into exile by the influence and address of Cardinal Richelieu. She lived in great poverty, often wanting the necessaries of life.

JEROME BONAPARTE remained in exile from 1815 to the revolution of 1848, when he was restored to his military rank and made governor of the invalides. He died in Paris in 1860.

WHOLE families have sometimes been exiled at one time. The Stuart family was twice driven from England, and at different times the Bourbons and the Bonapartes have been expelled from France.

To Horse Owners.

For putting a horse in a fine healthy condition try Dr. Cady's Condition Powders. They tone up the system, aid digestion, cure loss of appetite, relieve constipation, correct kidney disorders and destroy worms, giving new life to an old or over worked horse. 25 cents per package. For sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment.

Is a certain cure for Chronic Sore Eyes Granulated Eye Lids, Sore Nipples, Piles, Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum and Scald Head, 25 cent per box. For sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

The Herms Dry Goods Co

WEDNESDAY MORNING, Sept. 26, 1894.

WE CLOSE TODAY AT 6 P. M.

All Departments Now Complete.

Exceptionally Good Values

Are now attracting unusual attention at our store. Our large increased in sales is an evidence of this fact.

See Our Assortment Before You Invest.

Warm Underwear.

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Flannel, Saxony Knit, Sateen, Mohair, } *SKIRTS*

Blankets,
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Chenille Covers,
Portiers,
Draperies,
Dress Goods,
Silks,
Velvets,
Jet Gimps,
Ribbons,
Laces,
Domestics,
Linens,
Woolens.

Seven Sales People to Wait on You.

The Herms Dry Goods Co

It Is Profitable!

To Glance at the Several Lines of Shoes in the 75c Special Cash Bargain Sale at

W. A. CONNOLLEY'S SHOE STORE.

Sale to continue TEN consecutive days only, commencing Thursday, Sept. 20th, and ending Saturday night, September 30th. Our frequent offering of decisive bargains delights economic buyers. This special sale beats all former sales. Now is the time to buy your shoes for the Fall season.

Choice of 1200 pairs of Women's, Misses and Children's Shoes, in Kid, Grain and Glove Calf at the Uniform Price of 75 Cents per Pair.

HOW TO GET IT.—A Beautiful Book, 250 pages, neatly bound in silk cloth, goes with each purchase of a pair of Fine Shoes, and with the purchase of two pairs of Children's Shoes. Come to Connolley's Shoe Store and secure nice, durable, reliable Shoes.

New Fall Stock of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Fall Cloaks and Capes and Foreign and Domestic Dress Goods Have Just Been Received at Connolley's Dry Goods Store.

Special Low Prices.

We are selling fine Baby Carriages for less money than ever before.

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In Furniture we can give you the lowest prices ever found in Portsmouth.

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We have the largest stock in the city and can furnish anything in the line of Furniture at

Rock Bottom Prices.

F. C. DAEHLER,

205 and 207 Market.

"You May as Well Be Out of the World As Out of Style"

IS AN OLD ADAGE.

So, in order to

BE IN IT!

Purchase your Clothes of

J. Eisman & Co.

The Fashionable Tailors.

WEBER'S

THE best is the cheapest. Why throw you money away on trash, when you can buy good goods at as low a price as they can be bought for anywhere. We will not misrepresent by saying that we will sell you Ladies' Shoes at 99c, where other merchants sell at $2.50, and Men's Shoes at $2.99, where other merchants sell at $7.00. I cannot do it and I will say no other man can that is not misrepresenting the truth and selling goods by false pretence. If I cannot sell you goods straight I don't want to sell you, but if you want to buy goods at right prices come to

WEBER'S SHOE STORE,

Corner Second and Court Streets.

Good Baking Powder

Makes Good Bread.

Good Bread

Makes a Happy Wife.

Try our Baking Powder and you will always be happy.

FISHER & STREICH,

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. . . *A Job Lot of* . . .

Small Can Paint,

Such as Carriage, Buggy, Wagon, Floor and Housekeepers' Colors,

We will, for the Next Thirty Days, sell the same at a Reduced Price. Call soon.

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Dealers in all kinds of

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First Class Meals at All Hours.
Finely Appointed Bar Connected.

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CHART VENDERS

Have Been Getting in Their Work in Harrison Township

And Induce the Board of Education to Authorize a $360 Contract—The Clerk However Refuses to Sign the Contract—Spicy Letter from Our Scioto Correspondent on the Subject.

[Scioto Correspondence.]

We have had with us the past week some chart venders. They have worked the township to the utmost and have made a probable sale. They spent the week driving around and visiting the individual members of the board of education, praising their charts, prevailing on the members to promise them their support at a meeting to ratify the same, and as a last resort offering rewards of various kinds for support and influence. We are not guessing at this last, but know it to be so. Well, after they felt pretty sure they had a majority of the board ready to invest, or rather to give them the $360 they asked for their apparatus, they called the board together and had them ratify the same. But to their surprise, after the board had voted by a bare majority to purchase their charts, our township clerk refused to sign the contract, claiming it to be an illegal proceeding. This brought down some words of censure and condemnation upon the head of our clerk, who still declared he would not sign the contract until compelled to. And we believe he is standing upon solid ground, as indicated by a decision under statute 2,983, given in the school law. And we further believe he is right regarding the usefulness of such things in our schools. We cannot understand why our township board would make such a large outlay of money for things that will prove of so little value, while we are so poorly supplied with other school furniture. We have no globes, no mathematical blocks, no dictionaries and in some instances but poor blackboards, and in no case have we any course of study. What does our board mean anyhow? Is it possible that by intrigue and caprice our board could be induced to make such a foolish investment when there are so many many other things being neglected? What do they expect the teacher to do with them? Do they not know they have more geography classes now than they would have, had we a course of study? Do they expect the teacher to introduce their charts as an extra study, or do they expect the teacher to abandon the text-books and give all instruction in geography by oral lessons from the chart? If so, it bodes no good for our schools, as one of their objects is to teach our youth to be independent investigators. Do not that for a pupil which he can do for himself or you are encouraging him to depend upon others. It matters not how much you place before a child, or how glowing a description or picture you show him he cannot grasp only so much. Hence, "cramming" is of but little value and only serves to make narrow minds. The result will be the charts will be thrown into the corner to be torn up, with nothing much to show for them but the debt left behind.

[The correspondent voices the experience in all places where charts have been purchased.—ED.]

Our schools have commenced pretty well all over the township. Some, however, have not yet resumed, owing to various causes.

J. B. Dever commenced his Madison township school Monday.

Misses Lena, Hattie and Lula Dever were visiting at Arthur Snodgrass' Sunday.

F. M. Cole, of this place, spent Friday, Saturday and last week visiting relatives and friends in Kentucky. It was a pleasure and business trip combined.

Edmund Cole is nursing a lame wrist, as the result of trying to curry a horse that thought he didn't need such cleaning. He is going around with it, but in a considerably swolen state.

James L. Snodgrass is trying to rent his farm so he can move to Portsmouth.

Samuel Monroe is expecting to move to Portsmouth soon. He has purchased the house of Chas. Frowine, now in process of construction, and will move to it as soon as completed, which he thinks will be in about three weeks.

John Dever was the first man of this vicinity to sow wheat, his sowing being up and looking well.

Mr. Isaac Allen, of Harrisonville, does not improve rapidly. He has been unable for some time to do anything, owing to heart trouble. DIAL.

LETTER LIST.

The following is the list of letters remaining in the Portsmouth (Ohio) postoffice Sept. 25, 1894, which, if not called for within 15 days, will be sent to the dead letter office at Washington, D. C.: Elias Arthur Austine, C. T. Booton, Jos. Canter, O. Cragmiles, Mrs. Fenton Davis, Rev. J. H. Foust, Rev. J. H. Gardner, Frank Graber, W. M. Harriman, Mrs. Flossie Jones, James King, William Knappenberger, Mrs. Katie Miller, James Miller, Esq., Mrs. Mary Mooney (2), Messrs. Newfelt & Co., Toms, Nealy, Chas. Reno, W. J. Roice, D. Shook, Mrs. Joseph Spencer, L. M. Tood, Charley Watson (2), Elsie Withers, Robert Young.

When calling for any of the above letters, please say "advertised," giving date and pay 1 cent postage due.

JOHN JONES, P. M.

Coal! Coal!! Coal!!!

Have just received a fresh supply of Ashland and Pomeroy coal on the late rise. Now is the time to leave your orders for your winter's supply. Call on F. M. Brooks, where you can buy as cheap as anywhere in the city.

While in Chicago, Mr. Charles L. Kahler, a prominent shoe merchant of Des Moines, Iowa, had quite a serious time of it. He took such a severe cold that he could hardly talk or navigate, but the prompt use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cured him of his cold so quickly that others at the hotel who had bad colds followed his example and half a dozen persons ordered it from the nearest drug store. They were profuse in their thanks to Mr. Kahler for telling them how to cure a bad cold so quickly. For sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

Lyra.

The farmers are busily engaged in cutting their corn and getting their wheat ground in order for sowing in the near future.

The youngest child of C. E. Beatty is very low at present.

There was prayer meeting at the M. E. church last Sunday evening. There was a large crowd in attendance.

R. O. Brady, the enterprising merchant, started a peddling wagon Monday morning.

George Nagel is still wanting to learn the blacksmithing trade. George is a hustler.

Jacob Newland, one of your citizens, has moved back with the mill folk again. All were glad to get Jake back again.

The Collett family were the guests of Peter Nagel Sunday.

Uri Tracy was in our burg last week on business. Uri is a dandy on wheels.

G. W. Emory is erecting a new stable at present. All who see it suppose that he is putting up an ice house instead of what G. W. has named it.

There will be preaching at Lick Run by Rev. Willis next Sunday, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The singing, under the management of J. M. Brown, is progressing nicely at present.

James Canley, one of our citizens, left us last week, moving to Pioneer Switch.

Mr. Lafayette Fout took up the Maple Grove school last Monday.

Arch Clutts will start up the mill just as soon as he gets water enough. Shell your grists, boys, so as to be ready and avoid the rush.

R. O. Brady is the champion corn cutter of the mill. He has the contract of cutting S. S. Mathiott's corn this fall.

There was a cane blading at John Swamberger, Sr.'s, Monday night. All present report a good time.

The farmers are hauling their fertilizer now. Wheat sowing will come next.

Tom Lewis still makes short calls on Grandpa Call on Sunday evening. Tom is from Turkey Foot, and he means business too.

Tiff Collett, the champion wheelman of Lyra, sent his wheel to the shop for repairs last Tuesday.

Frank Morgan is building a new house on his premises.

Louis Canter, of Lick Run, is very low at present, and is not expected to live. RAMBLER.

Pine Creek.

Quite a number of folks from here attended the missionary meeting at Little Scioto last Sunday and all report a good time.

Miss Rickey Lange, of Ironton, who spent a few days with her parents here, returned home last Monday.

Frank Dott, a popular young man, made a trip to Lyra Sunday.

Jacob Knapp and sister, Katy, of Cutright's Mills, were visiting at John Gleim's Sunday.

Our community was the scene of a quiet little wedding last week, the parties being Mr. Grant Wheeler and Miss Bertha Hughes. The boys serenaded them with horns and bells, and received a nice treat after which all went home happy.

Messrs. Dan Gleim and John Call were the pleasant guests of George Rase last Sunday.

Daniel Oakes and family were visiting John Oakes, of Dogwood Ridge, Sunday.

Mrs. Dietz and family attended the wedding of her daughter, Miss Annie, of Portsmouth, Tuesday evening.

George Rase and wife, of Kelley's Mills, were visiting at Frank Gleim's Saturday and Sunday.

Frank Reisinger passed through our vicinage Sunday, en route to visit one of his old friends of Dogwood Ridge.

Mrs. John Gleim, who has been sick for a few days, is convalescing.

Hartman Staker and family were visiting at Peter Gleim's Sunday.

Messrs. John Wittig and Phil Gardner, of Ashland, were in our neighborhood on business one day last week.

Levi Wheeler, of Portsmouth, spent Sunday with his family, of this place.

Hazel nut gathering seems to be in order. Messrs. Andy, Peter, Adam, Jr., and Henry Gleim, and Joe Hass and John Call, having gathered up all the bone meal sacks in the surrounding country, hitched up their teams, and, after going nearly ten miles, returned with about a half bushel of nuts to be divided among them. BUCKEYE BOY.

Bear Creek.

Corn is a much better crop than we have had for the past two years. Fodder is nearly all cut, and some of the farmers have their corn land already sown in wheat. The potato crop was not so good as desired, but the large turnip patches make up for the small potatoes.

Last Sabbath the Rev. V. Prince, of the U. B. church, preached his last sermon of his second term on this circuit. He may be appointed for another term as he is very much liked on this circuit.

Wes Rose has left his axe and the woods of Ohio behind him and has gone to the prairies of Kansas, where he will take up the plow and hoe.

Mrs. S. Kirkendall is on the sick list with stomach trouble.

J. Glaze expects to shake hands with Wes Rose in the Sunflower state before the expiration of another year.

TALMAGE'S TABERNACLE.

An Aged Admirer of the Doctor Has a Plan For Rebuilding It.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—U. P. Stanton, a septuagenarian admirer of Rev. Dr. Talmage, has conceived a brand new plan for providing funds for the erection of a new Brooklyn tabernacle, and the trustees have promised to give it a careful consideration.

He proposes an issue of $1,000 and $100 bonds, noninterest bearing, and payable in twenty years. Each bond is to be made valuable by a picture of the tabernacle and of Dr. Talmage and his autograph.

Mr. Stanton thinks that $300,000 could easily be raised in this manner, and that very few bonds would ever be presented for payment, owing to their values as souvenirs.

President Leonard Moody, of the board of Trustees, said that, in his opinion, the scheme was an excellent one, and would probably be submitted to the congregation.

A Through Train.

The special train to Cincinnati Sunday via C. P. & V. will run through without any stops and put you into Cincinnati in time for morning visits.

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ACQUIRED EXPRESSION.

Facial Peculiarities Which Come Through Habit.

Distinctive Types That Are Found in Certain Callings—The Queer Effects of Occupation One's Upon the Features.

The incessant flow of involuntary nerve currents to the facial muscles doubtless accounts for the odd similarity of expression among men of the same vocation. In many such cases, says Blackwood's Magazine, the conditions are so complex that it seems impossible to lay one's finger upon the special items of environment which conduce to the facial characteristics exhibited by nearly all members of certain trades and professions. What, for instance, is there about the process of making shoes which evokes the unmistakable cobbler's visage? The portrait of Edward, the Banff naturalist, in Mr. Smiles' book, shows the type in a marked degree. As far as my observation carries me, the cause must be looked for in the last, lapstone and waxend of old-fashioned cordwainery; since men who work the machines in modern shoe factories, or who do ordinary repairing, do not exhibit the expression. It appears probable that the tailor's distinctive type of face may have been partially created by his habit of working his jaws concomitantly with his shears. Let anyone watch a person cutting a piece of tough material with scissors, and he will see that the lower part of the face wags in rhythmic and spontaneous unison with the blades. Shepherds and farm laborers who join sheep-shearing gangs certainly acquire a different expression while engaged in this kind of work.

The cast of countenance by which one so easily recognizes a groom is partially explicable from the fact that the muscles which close the jaws and compress the lips are always called into play when we are asserting our will over that of a horse. Nearly all jockeys and horsemen have a peculiar set of the mouth and chin, but I have been unable to distinguish any special characteristic about the eye or upper part of the face. It is instructive to compare the visage of the ruler of horses with that of the ruler of men. The horseman's face shows command in the mouth, the drill sergeant's in the mouth and the eye. The last is undoubtedly the most effective instrument in exacting obedience from our own species. Here we get a hint of that cause of want of dignity, that element of coarseness, which is discernable in the countenances of some men and women who have much to do with horses. The higher and nobler method of expressing authority is outweighed by the lower and more animal one. Generally speaking, it is a strenuous contest with minor difficulties which produce a thin and rigid set of lips. It is seen almost invariably in housewives of the Martha type, who are "careful and troubled about many things," and whose souls are shaken to the center by petty worries within doors, and the strife a outrance with shortcomings of the scullery maid or the cook.

The compressed lip so loved and so often misinterpreted by novelists is a sign of weakness rather than strength. It tells of perpetual conflicts in which the reserves are called into the fray. The strong will is not agitated into strenuous action by the small worries of the hour, and the great occasions which call for its whole forces are too few to produce a permanent impress of this kind upon the features. The commanding officer, assured of his men's obedience, does not habitually keep his lip muscles in a state of tension. Look at the sea captain, the most absolute monarch on the earth. He carries authority and power in his face, but it resides in his eye and the confident assurance of his easily set mouth. Every spar and shaft and muscle in his floating realm must obey him, and he knows it. This is probably a reason why the sea captain and the engine drivers show a certain similarity of type. The engine driver can make his captive giant, strong as ten thousand men, obey the pressure of his finger. His lips are usually calm, like those of the statues of the wielder of thunderbolts on Olympus. Who ever saw a man commanding a man-of-war or driving a locomotive with the contentious lip of the school usher? The typical expressions of the members of those three liberal professions which Sir Thomas Browne says are all founded upon the fall of Adam are well enough recognized to have been long the prey of the caricaturist. The several distinctive traits of each, and the possible causes which give rise to them, are too complex to be dealt with in a single article. Speaking very generally, the cleric's face is indicative of authority of the thin-lipped kind, and of a dignified sense of the sanctity of his office. The doctor's jaw and mouth are less rigid, yet tell of decision. His eye is vigilant and sympathetic, and his whole facial aspect conveys the idea of a fund of untapped wisdom. The lawyer's countenance is confident and confidential, with a pouncing alertness of the eye, and a prevailing expression of weighty perspicacity.

Damascus Swords.

To the lovers of strange goods the bazars of Damascus are far more alluring than those of Cairo or of Constantinople: the capacious chests of the merchants contain much that we would buy were our purses longer. Old embroideries of wonderful color, delicate china, silks of many hues, swords of cunning workmanship, all these lie piled beside us on the floor. It is but seldom that a really good specimen of the Damascus sword can be obtained, for the art of working and engraving steel is dead. These swords were made of alternate layers of iron and steel, so finely tempered that the blade would bend to the hilt without breaking, with an edge so keen that no coat of mail could resist, and a surface so highly polished that when a Moslem wished to rearrange his turban he used his sword for a looking-glasses.

Irving W. Larimore, physical director of Y. M. C. A. Des Moines, Iowa, says he can conscientiously recommend Chamberlain's Pain Balm to athletes, gymnasts, bicyclists, foot ball players and the profession in general for bruises, sprains and dislocations; also for soreness and stiffiness of the muscles. When applied before the parts become swollen it will effect a cure in one half the time usually required. For sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

The TIMES leads them all.

FEDERATION OF EMPLOYES

Under Discussion at Baltimore, and Believed It Will Occur.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 24.—Monday forenoon a grand street parade was participated in by the grand lodge of trainmen and representatives of five kindred organizations. In the afternoon representatives of the trainmen, brotherhoods of locomotive engineers and firemen, orders of railway conductors and telegraphers and of the Switchmen's Mutual Aid association met in secret session and discussed various questions relative to betterment of the condition of railway employes. Grand Master Wilkinson, of the trainmen; Delos Everett, third vice grand engineer; Alvord Brown, second vice grand master of the trainmen, and others spoke.

As given out after adjournment the remarks strongly criticised Debs and the A. R. U. The speakers, while approving a general affiliation of the bodies represented, were not hopeful of a consummation of the plan because of the conflicting interests.

It was the general opinion of those present, however, that some action by the six bodies will be taken, and that ultimately the federation will be formed. Many of the representatives expressed the opinion that if formed the federation would oppose the A. R. U., but would invite individual members of that body to join the new organization.

ROMANTIC WEDDING.

A Couple Meet Unexpectedly, and Hymen Does the Rest.

THOMASVILLE, Ga., Sept. 25.—A romantic wedding attended the visit of Secretary Hoke Smith to this city.

An excursion train came to Thomasville from Wayeross, and among the passengers was Mr. T. P. Milner, a contractor, who lives at Valdosta. Another excursion train came from Troy, Ala., and among the passengers was Miss Georgie Parker, of Ozark, Ala. These two young people had been deeply attached to each other, but the young lady's family objected.

Now, neither of the couple knew the other was coming to the rally at Thomasville. But they met, and it didn't take them long to decide that it was "now or never." A marriage license was secured, a minister summoned, and a private but very happy wedding occurred in the parlors of the Stewart house late in the afternoon.

Mr. Milner took his bride with him to Valdosta when the excursion train returned, leaving a note for her friends who had accompanied her from Ozark, and sending a telegram to her father. The bride is a daughter of Judge J. W. Parker, ordinary of Dale county, Ala., and belongs to one of the best families in the state.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 25.

FLOUR—Spring patent, $3.25@3.50; do fancy at $2.75@2.90; do family at $2.50@2.65. Winter patent quotable at $2.50@2.60, fancy at $2.25@2.40 and family at $2.05@2.15; extra at $1.85@1.95; low grades at $1.70@1.80.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, track, 52c; sample red, landing 51c; rejected red, track, 49c.

CORN—No. 2, mixed, track, 55c; yellow ear, track, 57c; mixed ear (nearly yellow), track, 57½c; mixed ear, track, 57c; No. 2 white, track, 57½c.

OATS—No. 2, mixed, track, 31c; No. 3 do, track, 30½c; No. 3 white, track, 32c; sample white, track, 33c.

CATTLE—Select butcher, $4.10@4.50; fair to good, $3.25@4.00; common to ordinary, $2.25@3.00. Heifers: Good to choice, $3.50@4.00; fair to medium, $2.50@3.25. Cows: Good to choice $3.00@3.50; fair to medium, $2.25@2.75; common rough steers, poor cows and scalawags, 75c@$1.50; stockers, $1.75@3.00.

CALVES—Common and large, $3.00@5.00; fair to good light, $5.00@6.00; extra, $6.25.

HOGS—Select heavy shippers and prime butchers' $5.80@6.00; packing, $5.25@5.75; common and rough, $4.25@5.15; light shippers, $5.25@5.65.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep: Good to choice wethers, $3.25@3.75; good to choice ewes and wethers mixed, $2.75@3.25; common to fair, $1.00@2.50. Lambs: Extra, $4.10; good to choice, $3.25@4.00; common to fair, $2.00@3.00.

WOOL—Unwashed, fine merino, per lb, 9@10c; quarter blood clothing, 12@13c; medium delaine and clothing, 13c; coarse, 13@14c; medium, combing, 13@14c. Washed: Fine merino, X to XX, per lb, 10@12c; medium clothing, 15@16c; delaine fleece, 15@16c; long combing, 15@16c; quarter blood and low, 15@16c; common coarse, 16@17c; tub-washed, choice, 19@20c; tub-washed, average, 18c.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 25.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, spot and September, 53⅝@53¾c; October, 53½@53¾c; December, 50@50⅛c; May, 62¼c asked.

CORN—Mixed spot and September, 56½@57 year, 52½c asked.

OATS—No. 2 white western, 35@35¼c; No. 2 mixed do 33½@33¾c.

RYE—No. 2, 52@53c.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.

RYE—Western, 48@57c.

BARLEY—Western, 60@65c; No. 2 Milwaukee, 64@65c.

WHEAT—No. 2 red store and elevator, 55¾@56c; afloat, 58@58½c; f. o. b. 56½@57½c; ungraded red, 54@56c; No. 1 northern, 62½@63c.

CORN—No. 2, 57½@58c elevator; 57½@58c afloat.

OATS—No. 2, 33½c; No. 2 white, 36¼; No. 2 Chicago, 34c; No. 3, 32½c; No. 3 white, 35½@35¾c; mixed western, 33½@34½c; white do, 36@40c; white state, 36@40c.

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 25.

WHEAT—No. 2 red cash, 52c; October, 52½c; December, 54½c; May, 59c; No. 3 red cash, 51c.

CORN—Market dull; no trading.

OATS—No. 2 white cash, 32c; No. 3 do, 31½c.

CLOVERSEED—Cash and November, $5.30; February, $5.45.

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 25.

CATTLE—Prime, $5.50@5.75; good, $4.70@5.25; good butchers, $4.00@4.25; rough fat, $2.85@3.60; fair light steers, $2.40@3.10; good fat cows and heifers, $2.60@3.20.

HOGS—Philadelphias, $5.60@5.65; best Yorkers and mixed, $5.60@5.65; common to fair Yorkers, $5.60@5.50; pigs, $5.25@5.50; good sows, $5.00@5.25.

SHEEP—Extra, $3.50@3.70; good, $3.10@3.40; fair, $1.80@2.25; common, 50c@$1.00; yearlings, $4.00@5.50; lambs, $2.25@4.60.

VEAL CALVES—$5.75@6.25.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 25.

CATTLE—Light to medium steers, $4.00@4.40, mixed butchers, $3.25@4.00; bulls, $2.75@3.00.

HOGS—Yorkers, common to good corn fed, $5.60@5.90; pigs, good, $5.70@5.75, good corn fed mediums, $5.60@5.65, good heavy, $5.65.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Best lambs, $4.25@4.50; fair to good, $3.90@4.15; good mixed sheep, $2.75@3.10.

CHICAGO, Sept. 25.

Cash quotations: Flour easy. Wheat, No. 2 spring, 51½@53½c; No. 3 spring, nominal; No. 2 red, 55½@56c. Corn, No. 2, 54c; No. 3 yellow, 56½c; No. 2 oats, 32½c; No. 2 white, 36½@36½c; No. 3 white, 34½@35½c; No. 2 rye, 67½c; No. 2 barley, 83½c; No. 3, 50@57½c; No. 4, 1-5 [illegible]c.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 25.

CATTLE—Good to choice shipping, $5.00@5.25; medium to good shipping steers, $4.25@4.75; common to fair steers, $2.50@3.65.

HOGS—Good to choice medium and heavy, $5.60@5.70; mixed, $5.50@5.60; common lights, $5.00@5.40.

SHEEP—Choice to extra lambs, $3.90@4.00, common, $2.25@3.25; good sheep, $2.75@3.00.

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3:47 pm—Local Accommodation—Arrives Kenova 5 20 pm, makes all stops. No connection beyond Kenova.

8:50 pm—Norfolk Express—For Bluefield, Radford, Roanoke, Norfolk and all points on Main Line. Pullman Buffet Sleeper Columbus to Roanoke.

WEST BOUND.

5:15 am—Norfolk Express—Arrives at Columbus 9 30 am. Pullman Buffet car, Roanoke to Columbus. Arrives Chicago 7 55 pm, via Hocking Valley and C. & E. Rys.

10:28 am—Local Accommodation—Arrives Columbus 2 20 pm, makes all stops.

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A BUDGET

Of Notes of Various Doings of a Social Nature.

Weddings Principally, Three That Have Been, One That Is to Be.

A Little Party at New Boston—Dr. Prendergast to be Married in October—Mrs. John K. Duke's Birthday Party—The Eliot Club to Resume Its Meetings—Other Notes.

Miss Anna Belle Hull very pleasantly entertained Rev. J. A. Snodgrass' class at the First Baptist Sunday school and several other friends at her home in New Boston last evening. The evening was spent in delightful informal pleasures and refreshments were served. Those who attended from Portsmouth are Misses Lutie and Ada Morris, Bertha and Anna Lloyd, Retta Cook and Virgil Davidson and Messrs. James Yealey and Simpson Stratton.

DR. PRENDERGAST TO MARRY.

The Cincinnati Times-Star announces the approaching marriage of Cincinnati's popular health officer, Dr. John Prendergast. The bride is Miss Etta Shoenberger, a belle of Westwood, and the wedding is announced for some time in October, the Dr. being the authority for the announcement. The groom is a former Portsmouth boy and his many admirers here extend congratulations and the very best wishes.

A BIRTHDAY AFFAIR.

Mrs. John K. Duke pleasantly celebrated her birthday yesterday afternoon by entertaining at her home on East Third street the ladies who enjoyed the Pittsburgh trip together in June. Mrs. Frank Kendall was present with her camera and took several groups of the crowd before the delightful luncheon was served. Mrs. Kendall has done some very fine work in amateur photography this summer.

Next Friday these same ladies, about fifteen in number, have been invited to Mrs. Will Feurt's in Clay township. It is to be a "outting party" and they will make the trip in the "Golden Rule."

DEATS—HEHL.

Miss Anna Deats, a well known young lady living on Pine creek, and Charles Hehl, a popular young molder in the employ of the Moore Foundry and Machine works, were united in marriage last evening at the residence of the groom, on Seventh street, by Rev. Toensmeier, of the German Presbyterian church, a small party of friends being present. The newly married couple at once repaired to a house on Eleventh street, which the groom had furnished, where they were given an old fashioned belling by friends of Mr. Hehl.

A TELEGRAM OF CONGRATULATIONS.

Mr. Lon Russell and Miss Sadie McJoint were united in marriage this morning at the home of the bride in Walnut Hills, Cincinnat. The choir of St. Mary's church of this city, of which Mr. Russell is a member, sent him a telegram of congratulations, through George A. Goodman, president.

A QUIET WEDDING.

Wm. F. Walker, an employe of the Burgess Steel and Iron Works, and Miss Maggie Gifford, formerly of Scioto Furnace, were married at the home of Mike Henson, West Eighth street, last evening. Only a few friends were present, and the ceremony was performed by 'Squire Daniel Shakespeare at 8 o'clock.

THE ELIOT CLUB.

The Eliot club resumes its meetings today for the winter, the young ladies spending the afternoon at the usual place, the home of Miss Sallie Reed.

Slid Clear Across the Street.

Young Huels, the cyclist, met with a peculiar accident on Chillicothe street last evening. He was riding up street, and, at the intersection of Seventh and Chillicothe, ran into a Ratterman boy, who evidently did not see the wheelman coming. Huels was thrown, and rider and wheel both slid clear across the street to the curbing on the opposite side. Fortunately neither party received serious injury.

Ashland Nut Coal

Has no equal for cooking stoves and ranges. It is fresh and clean. Leave your orders with F. M. Brooks, corner Third and Chillicothe streets. Telephone 20.

The excursions Saturday and Sunday given by the Trades and Labor union to Cincinnati via C. P. & V., for $1.50, will be the best of the season. Don't forget them.

PERSONAL.

'Squire McCall, of Lower Nile, is in the city today.

Oscar W. Newman is in Columbus on legal business today.

Mrs. John Newman and children are visiting relatives in Ironton and Ashland.

Joe Crouch, fireman on the C. P. & V., is visiting friends in Hillsboro.

Thos. N. Ranson, a prominent attorney of Staunton, Va., is in this city on business.

Dr. P. J. Kline went to Galion this morning on the N. & W. to attend a G. A. R. reunion.

J. B. Rife, of Circleville, O., a prominent meat dealer, is in the city today, looking after his trade here.

Miss S. E. Nanette, who has been visiting in this city, will leave for Jeffrey, N. H., in the morning via the N. & W.

Mrs. Theo. Funk, Miss Elizabeth Funk and Miss Milstead, of Portsmouth, are the pleasant guests of Prof. and Mrs. Davidson, of South Second street.—Irontonian.

Mrs. John M. Morris, of Columbus, who has been visiting friends on the West Side this week, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ball today. She will return home tomorrow morning.

Col. Fred Collwin, of Charleston, W. Va., was in town yesterday, on his way home from a business trip to Springfield. His wife, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. H. Ball, accompanied him home last evening.

AN INTERESTING TRIP.

Mr. C. A. Goddard Takes in the Historic Sights of Old Marietta.

Mr. C. A. Goddard, Jr., returned last evening from a several days trip to Marietta and Cincinnati. While in the former city Mr. Goddard took in all the historic sights for which Marietta is famous, and came away very much in love with Ohio's oldest city. He also struck up an agreeable acquaintance with an old gentleman named Story, from Esset, Mass. This gentleman was a grandson of the Rev. David Story, who was the first minister in Marietta, and we believe in the northwest, and had journeyed all the way from Massachusetts to see the place where his famous ancestor had dwelt. Mr. Story said that the old church building at Essex, a cut of which appears in Howe's Historical Collections of Ohio, stands on land belonging to his family. The building is now partially torn down, part of it having been transplanted so to speak and built on to the residence of his sister.

Mr. Goddard also had a rather agreeable experience in Cincinnati. While taking in the curiosities of Kohl & Middleton's museum he came across a Portsmouth curiosity on exhibition, in the shape of H. H. Heath, whom customers at White's barber shop will remember as having worked there last winter. Heath is passing as the Virginia Warbler, and was so taken back at the sight of Goddard's grinning mug that he "busted" a "warble" square in two, and probably blushed beneath his dusky skin. Heath says he will star the country in the course of a few weeks as the guardian of an 18 pound midget.

An Athletic Club.

A number of young men, mostly employed in the shoe factories, have organized an athletic club and have rented the Layher building at the corner of Ninth and John streets. There are about 18 in the club, and they have all games imaginable to play, besides horizontal bars, boxing gloves, etc. The boys say they prefer spending their evenings in this way to being on the streets.

An Extra Coach Ordered.

Edgar F. Draper, secretary of the committee of the Knights Templars who have charge of the matter of attending the Cleveland convention, today ordered another coach for their special train. This will give the train one parlor car and three coaches. It is expected that about 120 will go on this train next Tuesday morning.

Dislocated His Arm.

Leslie Johnson, the little son of Mrs. Josiah Johnson, of Findlay street, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, while on his way to school, yesterday afternoon, stepped on a banana peel and dislocated his arm. He was taken home and his injury attended to by Dr. Fulton.

Coal.

Now is the time to lay in a supply of our celebrated, freshly mined ASHLAND COAL. Ignites easily, burns freely and has no equal for domestic use. Try it.

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AN HONEST MAN.

Ex-Treasurer Slavens Reimburses His Bondsmen After 21 Years.

A Voluntary Act After the Indebtedness Has Become Outlawed—Valuable Property Turned Over to Pay for Losses Occasioned by Unfortunate Circumstances in the Early Seventies.

Many Portsmouth people will recall the circumstance of Charles Slavens becoming financially involved while holding the office of county treasurer in the early seventies. His shortage was paid at the time by his bondsman, who were really the only losers.

Mr. Slavens vowed then that he would some day pay the amount and himself bear all the loss. The claim has long since been barred from legal action, but he did not take advantage of this, and has worked ever since to make his vow good. The act is certainly a highly commendable one. The following statement is entirely self-explanatory:

"Some twenty-one years ago Charles Slavens then county treasurer became financially involved, largely owing to the failure of the Dugan Bank of Portsmouth, which necessitated the payment of $4,500 by his sureties, George Davis, Aaron Noel and James Skelton. At the time of his embarrassment he turned over to his sureties every dollar of his then valuable property, reserving nothing, with a view of holding his bondsmen harmless. The property so turned over passed into the hands of the city council to be applied on the city's loss. The property was forced on the market by the city, and owing to the great panic of 1873 and the stringency of the money market, the property was sold very much below its true value. The property in prosperous times would have entirely covered Mr. Slavens' loss. With all this bad luck against him, he resolved some day to be able to pay back to his bondsmen that which they had paid for him. After losing $4,000 by fire in Missouri, he has succeeded in accumulating property enough to pay every dollar of his liabilities. We are pleased to say that he made a voluntary tender of valuable property in Columbus, O., in payment of the claim of his sureties, which has been accepted in full satisfaction of their claim against him. The act is all the more commendable on his part owing to the fact that action has long since been barred by the statute of limitation. Truly, the first shall be LAST and the last shall be FIRST.

Signed:

JAMES SHELTON,
Trustee for sureties.
A. T. HOLCOMB,
Administrator of Geo. Davis, dec'd.
JOHN BOGAN,
Guardian of A. Noel.

A Pair of Ordinaries.

George Graff, an old-timer, and pretty regular offender, was registered on the mayor's slate this morning opposite the charge of intoxication. The usual remedy, $4.80.

Charles Bishop, who spent Tuesday in prison, was taxed $4.80 for intoxication and unbecoming conduct. He lacked the wherewithal, but was released.

One lodger was accommodated at the city prison over night and sent on his way rejoicing this morning.

The Cake Walk.

The advance sale of seats indicates that the cake walk at the Grand this evening will be a blooming success in point of attendance. The program assures a success artistically, and its novelty will attract and entertain a large portion of the city's population.

To Brake in Jackson.

Isaac Creek, we'll known in railroad circles here, has gone to Jackson, to work as brakeman on the new yard engine recently put in in the B. & O. S. W. yards there.

Clothing cut, cleaned, dyed, etc.

LORBERG, 116 East Fourth street.

A C. B. Social.

The ladies of the United Brethren church will give a social at the residence of George Brandau, on John street, Thursday evening. All are invited.

Wanted, Customers for gentlemen's made Mackintoshes. LORBERG.

To Begin at 8:30.

The exercises at the cake walk entertainment this evening will begin promptly at 8:30 o'clock, sun time. If you enjoy a good hearty laugh you should be there.

Wanted, to sell a good cow. Address P. O. Box 65, City.

Pomeroy Coal.

The best grade mined can be had at F. M. Brook's, corner Third and Chillicothe streets. Try it.

Ladies' and gentlemen's Mackintoshes made to order. LORBERG.

116 East Fourth street.

FRAGMENTS.

A force of men are at work today grading Ninth street at the intersection of Findlay. The street at this point was several inches high.

Rev. B. L. McElroy has been made chairman of the committee on conference board of deaconesses of the M. E. conference now in session at Jackson.

SOME EXCELLENT WORK

Planned by the Brotherhood of St. Andrew Which Has Been Re-organized Weekly Meetings.

The young men of All Saints church have re-organized Chapter No. 131, of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, for the purpose of cultivating social and church life. The Brotherhood numbers now some fifteen members or more, and is increasing weekly. It meets each Sunday afternoon at 6:30 in the Bible class room of All Saints church. On the first and third Sundays in the month at the hour above named the Brotherhood intends to conduct in the chapel a song service specially intended for young people, though all who desire to attend will be heartily welcome. On the second and fourth Sundays, at the same hour, the meetings will be exclusively for young men, whether they are members or not. Among other interesting features on the program for these meetings is that of a short talk on some interesting subject, not necessarily religious, by some gentleman of our city. Several of our best citizens have signified their willingness to serve the Brotherhood in this way, and Dr. M. S. Pixley will begin the services next Sunday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock, his subject being "No. 7."

A cordial invitation is extended to all young men to attend this and all meetings of the Brotherhood, and it is hoped that many of them may become members. F. E. Whitelaw is director of the Brotherhood, and Adam Krick, secretary and treasurer.

A LONG JOURNEY.

A Michigan Man En Route For Virginia, Passes Through the City This Morning.

An outfit consisting of a man, horse and buggy, and a vicious looking bull dog, the latter chained to the buggy struck town this morning, attracting considerable attention. The man gave his name as Wesley Cone and claims to hail from Hartford, Van Buren county, Michigan, which place he left August 22 to drive across the country to Jennings Ordinary, Ottowa county, Va., near which place an old chum of his boyhood days owns a large tobacco farm, and with whom he expects to spend the winter. Cone is making the trip leisurely, and expects to reach his destination in the course of a month or six weeks. He says he has made the trip so far without accident to himself or outfit although his dog, a handsome thoroughbred, has had several encounters with village animals along the way, and has sent two canines on their way to dog heaven. The trip so far has cost him in the neighborhood of $60 and he expects the entire trip to cost him about $125.

Ohio State Conference of Charities and Correction.

A great deal of interest is being developed in the approaching meeting of the Ohio state conference of charities and correction, which will take place at Kenton, Ohio, on Oct. 9, 10, 11 and 12th, 1901.

It is understood that the people of that city are making special effort to entertain the conference. The leading position Ohio has occupied in all movements relating to benevolent, reformatory or penitive institutions renders any conference of her leading citizens in those bodies of surpassing interest and of far-reaching influence.

It is customary for all public institutions throughout the state to send delegates, including boards of county visitors, children's homes, infirmaries, insane hospitals, and all private institutions, associated charities, and all persons in Ohio who are interested in subjects of this character.

Full information as to railroad fare, hotels, programs, etc., can be obtained by writing to the president, S. J. Hathaway, Marietta, O., or the Hon. Joseph P. Byers, Secretary, State House, Columbus, O.

Now with the C., P. & V.

John Huffman, for some years past engineer on the Huntington division of the C. & O., is now running on the C., P. & V. as engineer.

A New Conductor.

R. M. Moore, who has been baggageman on the C., P. & V., has accepted a position as conductor of a local freight with the same road.

Corns, bunions and ingrowing nails relieved at once.

MRS. LAURA E. BECKNER,
No. 1116 Gay street.

GUILTY

Of Incest With His Own Daughter Is the Verdict.

The Bishop Case Tried This Morning—Smith Price on Trial This Afternoon—No Bidders for the Nicholas Furniture Plant—Minor Notes from the Court House.

This morning in court was taken up with the trial of Wm. H. A. Bishop, the west side farmer, indicted by the last grand jury for incest. The prosecuting witness is his own daughter, a girl of about 15 years, and the details of the horrible crime were revolting. The jury took the case about noon and in a very few minutes returned a verdict of guilty of incest.

The defendant's attorney, Allen Cross, Esq., gave notice of the filing of a motion for a new trial and sentence is suspended until that shall be disposed of. The penalty for the crime is imprisonment for not less than one year and not more than ten years.

The trial of the notorious Smith Price on the charge of pointing fire arms at Jesse White, of Lucasville, was taken up after dinner.

The cases of Ohio vs. Wm. Harris, assault with intent to kill, and Ohio vs. Nan Frieze, assault and battery, are also on the docket for today should the other business be disposed of in time.

NO BIDDERS.

Sheriff Gustin offered for sale this afternoon the plant of the Nicholas Furniture company to satisfy a judgment in favor of the German Looking Glass company. The property is appraised at $9,000, but there were no bidders at any figure.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Chas. Hehl, aged 22, Anna Dietz, aged 22.

William F. Walker, aged 26, Maggie Gifford, aged 24.

George Henry Pyles, aged 19, Mary Stevens, aged 19.

W. B. Meyers, age 23; Ellie Row, age 19.

A COMPLETE LIST

Of Those Who Subscribed Money to Buy the Khuney Tract For Car Shop Purposes.

The following is the complete list of subscribers to the C. P. & V. car shop paper now in circulation:

John G. Peebles	$200 00
Jas. W. Newman	100 00
J. Esselborn	100 00
Portsmouth Stove and Range Co.	100 00
W. A. McFarlin	100 00
John P. Jones	100 00
Levi D. York	100 00
H. S. Grimes	100 00
J. W. Bannon	100 00
Floyd L. Smith	100 00
M. E. Gilbert & Co.	100 00
P. H. Zoellner	100 00
W. D. Meyers	100 00
John F. Brushart	100 00
Philo S. Clark	50 00
Dr. S. S. Halderman	50 00
Portsmouth Fire Brick Co.	50 00
Charles Wertz	50 00
J. M. Stockham	50 00
F. L. Marting	50 00
Charles Winters	50 00
Fisher & Streich	50 00
C. S. Cadot	50 00
W. A. Connolley	50 00
W. B. Anderson	25 00
F. E. Kiefer	25 00
J. J. Brushart	25 00
George Brandau	25 00
W. C. Draper	20 00
George M. Osborne	10 00
Joseph F. Tracy	10 00
The Sample Shoe Co.	5 00

Chairman Jones is pushing the work actively and with several other gentlemen is at work soliciting subscriptions. A paper is also left at Seelbohm's drug store and one at Fisher & Streich's.

Rev. Toensmeier Installed.

The installation services of Rev. J. A. Toensmeier, of the German Presbyterian church, were held last evening, Revs. S. Gobiet and D. S. Tappan, of this city, Rev. E. E. Moran, of Ironton, and Rev. Hutchinson, of Jackson, were present and assisted in the ceremony.

Bateman Resigns.

Walter Bateman, freight conductor on the C. P. & V., has resigned, his resignation to take effect tonight. No reason was assigned.

To Go to Texas.

Will Layher will leave about October 1st for Dallas, Texas, where he has secured work as fireman on one of the roads leading out of that city.

A. M. Bailey, a well known citizen of Eugene, Oregon, says his wife has for years been troubled with chronic diarrhœa and used many remedies with little relief until she tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and diarrhœa Remedy, which has cured her sound and well. Give it a trial and you will be suprised at the prompt relief it affords. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

Overcoats made to order.

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THE ORIGIN OF THINGS.

THE design of the American flag was probably borrowed from the family arms of Gen. Washington, which consisted of three stars in the upper portion and three bars across the escutcheon.

WATCHES originated at Nuremberg as early as 1477. They were at first called Nuremberg eggs, which they resembled both in shape and size. They were often fitted into the tops of walking-sticks.

THE first English book on stenography, so far as known, was written by Dr. Timothy Bright in 1588. Its earlier invention is attributed to the Latin poet Ennius, to Seneca, Cicero and several others.

GUNS are said to have been used by the Chinese before the beginning of the Christian era. The oldest dated piece of European artillery bears an inscription declaring that the gun was cast in 1303.

MARINE insurance was practiced in Rome B. C. 45. It was very general in Europe before the discovery of America, and it is altogether probable that the ships of Columbus were insured for their full value.

COATS of arms were first employed in England during the reign of Richard I., and became hereditary in families in the following century. They originated from the painted banners carried by knights and nobles.

MEMENTOES OF A PAST RACE.

PADUCAH, the Indian chief, gave his name to the Kentucky town.

MAUCH CHUNK, Pa., is an Indian name, meaning bear mountain.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., has an Indian name meaning a pleasant harbor.

AN Indian word meaning young grandmother gave a name to Kokomo, Ind.

COHASSET, Mass., was so called from an Indian term signifying place of pines.

MILWAUKEE was the Indian name of a Wisconsin river. It means rich country.

PEMBINA, the Dakota city, is said to have an Indian name meaning red berry.

CHICOPEE, Mass., was called from an Indian word signifying the birch bark place.

COCHITUATE, Mass., was named from an Indian word meaning the place of the falls.

KEOKUK, an Indian chief, furnished the name of an Iowa town. The word means sly fox.

THE Kaws or Kansas Indians gave a name to Kansas City, Mo. It was adopted in 1839.

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FOR RENT—Nice furnished front room and one unfurnished at 157 West Second street.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms centrally located. Apply at 231 Gallia street.

WANTED—Furnished room for man and wife, suitable for light housekeeping. Address at once to "Furnished Room," General Delivery, City.

FOR RENT—Two large furnished sleeping rooms in delightful location. Address P. O. box 184.

FOR SALE—The frame store on northwest corner of Gallia and Gilmore streets. For terms address P. O. box 184.

LOST—Sunday, September 22, some place between All Saints church and 811 Washington street, a pair of gold rimmed eye glasses with chain. Finder leave with MRS. ROBERT BAKER at above number. 24-3

LOST—A pair of gold-rimmed glasses between Eighth and Ninth, on Chillicothe street. Leave at Reed's drug store, on Chillicothe. 22-6

FOR RENT—Nice, clean and newly repaired four-room house to family with no small children. See W. A. Wunter, 12 Fifth street. 22-6

FOR RENT—Eight-room residence on E. Sixth street, recently occupied by J. I. Nash. Inquire of J. W. Newman, Central Savings Bank. 17-21

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Evenings each week, from 7 to 9.
Special attention is called to the fact that the
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The woman who can't find prices to her liking at our place. Read this array and then you can buy intelligently:

Kid Hair Curlers at 5, 10 and 12 cents, about one-half what they usually cost you. Hair Curlers, three sizes, 5 cents, from the smallest to the largest. Horn Strips, whalebones, three sizes, 5 cents dozen, usual price 10 cents. Bailey's Swan Down's 4 cents, usual price 10 cents. Bailey's Combination Package Box Swan's Down and bottle Cologne 9 cents, usual price 15 cents. Two and four ounce bottles Vasalene 5 and 10 cents, usual price 10 and 20 cents. Fifteen styles Shell, Amber and Rubber Hair Pins at 4 and 5 cents, usual price 8 and 10 cents. Twice as much stationery for your money as you get elsewhere.

HOSIERY

The best line of 10 cent Socks ever offered in this town. A special drive in Hosiery for infants, children and misses in Fast Black Seamless at 10 cents.

Dry Goods of all kinds are being sacrificed to close them out.

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We Will Commence an Auction Sale on Saturday, Sept. 15th, At 2 O'clock P. M.

And continue the sale until the entire stock of Queensware, Glassware, Tinware, Cutlery, Dinner Sets, Chamber Sets, Hanging Lamps, Parlor Lamps, Student Lamps, Kitchen Lamps, Bisque Ornaments and Vases, Gents' Ladies' and Children's Underwear. Also Shelving and Counters will be sold.

We invite everybody to attend this sale, and you will have lots of fun.

Albert Frowine, Auctioneer.

M. JACOBS,

314 Chillicothe St.